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1. LT. HYATT, NAVCOMMU, REPORTS BOTH WELLS AT TRACT F ARE OPERABLE.
A LINE FROM ONE IS BROKEN. THE OTHER IS PUMPING WATER TO TRACT B & E.
TRACT A AND CONGEN WILL RECEIVE WATER AFTER TRACT E RESERVOIR

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FILLS. TRACT E BEGINNING TO RECEIVE WATER FROM MUNICIPAL SYSTEM.

ETHIOPIAN ENGINEERS EXPLORING TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF USING KAGNEW STATION POWER PLANT TO SUPPLY ELECTRICITY TO PARTS OF ASMARA.

2. CISCO EMPLOYEE SAW MANY ASMARA RESIDENTS LEAVING THE CITY ON FOOT AS HE DROVE TO TRACT D, SOUTH OF ASMARA. ANOTHER SOURCE REPORTS THAT BUSES, ATTEMPTING TO LEAVE THE CITY LOADED WITH PEOPLE, WERE TURNED BACK AT THE CHECK POINTS.

3. ASMARA RESIDENTS ARE STILL VERY WORRIED ABOUT WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR THEM, DESPITE THE PRESENT LULL IN FIGHTING.
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